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REGISTRARS OF VITAL STATISTICS

The county board of commissioners has appointed the following registrars of vital statistics for the ensuing year:

J. Alonzo Stephens, Burch Creek.
Charles Jensen, Eden.
James Martin, Farr West.
Ida E. Dixon, Harrisville.
C. C. Wanggaard, Huntsville.
L. M. Olsen, Hooper.
Alma L. Wilson, Kanabville.
Mrs. Mary Atkinson, Liberty.
Mrs. Francis Parry, Marriott.
William Mathers, Plain City.
Mrs. Lillian Cottam, Pleasant View.
B. F. Blaylock, Sr., North Ogden.
George Randall, Randall.
Oscar T. Jones, Roy.
James A. Slater, Saltville.
Alma Keyes, Utah.
Joseph Waymont, Warren.
Robert McFarland, West Weber.
Mrs. W. T. Washburn, Wilson.

MEXICANS KILL TWO AMERICANS

Washington, Dec. 14.—Thomas Francis, and another American, have been killed in Sonora, Mexico, according to a report today from the American consular agent at Cananea. Secre-

tary Bryan directed an investigation. No details were given in today's dispatch, except that the killing took place between Agua Prieta and Nacozari.

More Troops for Naco.
Naco, Ariz., Dec. 14.—The remaining two troops of the Ninth United States cavalry left Douglas today to join the rest of the regiment here.

Seven troops of the Tenth cavalry and three batteries of the Sixth artillery also are here.

The usual quota of Mexican bullets struck in the Arizona town this morning, and at least one shell.

ACTIONS DISMISSED IN DISTRICT COURT

Having settled their differences out of court, the case of Mrs. P. C. Munsee against C. C. Herrington, has been dismissed in the district court.

On motion of the attorney for the plaintiff, the same action has been taken in the case of D. C. Eccles against the Union Oil company of California. It is stipulated in this case that the plaintiff pay the costs of the action.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Charitable organizations were swamped here today with appeals for aid as a result of a cold wave which swept the Great

Lakes region last night. The temperature dropped 31 degrees to zero in twelve hours.

All municipal lodging houses were packed with homeless men last night.

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 14.—The storm that swept western New York last night and this morning deposited more than a foot of snow. Country roads are blocked and traffic on steam and suburban trolley roads is delayed. The storm was accompanied by a sharp drop in temperature.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 14.—Duluth shivered today in a north wind that brought street thermometers down to 17 below zero, the lowest of the season. No snow has fallen here and St. Louis bay is frozen over with the best racing ice in years.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 14.—The coldest weather of the present winter prevailed in this part of the country today. Norfolk, Neb., reported the temperature 21 degrees below zero.

Seven degrees below was the minimum in Omaha.

Real Estate Transfers.
Real estate transfers have been placed on file in the county recorder's office as follows:

Lafayette B. Farley and wife to Agnes Bailey, part of lot 8, block 1, Ogden five-acre plat A, Ogden survey. Consideration \$1.

Arthur J. Hogan and wife to T. M. Jenkins, part of lot 7, block 6, plat A, Ogden survey. Consideration \$300.

James G. Gordon to A. W. Hadley, a part of the southeast quarter of section 21, township 6 north, range 1 west, Salt Lake meridian. Consideration \$650.

H. L. Taylor and wife to the Eccles Lumber company, a part of the northeast quarter of section 19, township 6 north, range 1 west, Salt Lake meridian. Consideration \$1.

David O. McKay and wife to William M. McKay and wife et al., section 3, township 6 north, range 2 east, Salt Lake meridian. Consideration \$1.

SUBMARINE IN DARDANELLES

London, Dec. 14, 11:30 a. m.—A communication issued by the official bureau today announced that the Turkish battleship Messudieh has been torpedoed by a British submarine.

The bureau's statement is as follows: "Yesterday submarine B-11, in charge of Lieutenant Commander Norman B. Holbrook of the Royal Navy, entered the Dardanelles and, in spite of the difficult current, dived under five rows of mines and torpedoed the Turkish battleship Messudieh, which guarded the mine field. "Although pursued by gun fire and torpedo boats, the B-11 returned safely after being submerged, on one occasion, for nine hours.

"When last seen the Messudieh was sinking by the stern. The Messudieh was a very old boat, having been built at Blackwell, England, in 1874, and reconstructed at Genoa in 1903. She was 332 feet long, 59 feet beam and of about 10,000 tons burden. She had a speed of 17 1/2 knots and her main battery consisted of two 9.2-inch guns in turrets and twelve 6-inch guns in battery. In the war with Greece in 1912 the Messudieh was reported badly damaged in a naval battle in the Dardanelles. She carried a crew of 500 men.

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SOUVENIRS OF THE EUROPEAN WAR

Salt Lake, Dec. 14.—A Russian cavalry pistol taken from the hand of a dead Cossack killed in a battle in the streets of Tilsit, in East Prussia, is on exhibition in the window of the Siegel Clothing company. The pistol, with its holster and cartridge belt, was taken from the slain Russian by Edward C. Hunter of Salt Lake, who was in Tilsit when the battle occurred. Mr. Hunter is a son of Bishop Oscar F. Hunter, and at the time of the battle was in East Prussia on a mission for the Mormon church. He is now in Chattanooga, Tenn., having been transferred to a mission in the southern states. The pistol, with its holster and belt, was sent by him to his father.

The pistol is of a Russian make, and of a design somewhat different from American weapons of this character. It is a six-shooter, slightly more than 36-caliber. It is a single-action gun, made in 1901. It suggests the American army pistol in use prior to the adoption of the automatic pistol.

The city of Tilsit, where the Russian met his fate, was captured by the Russians in their spectacular invasion of Germany early in September, and recaptured by the Germans a few days later.

Telling of the battle incident to the recapture of the city by the Germans, Mr. Hunter writes entertainingly. He said that the first warning of the impending street battle came when the Russians and Germans clashed two miles farther into East Prussia than Tilsit and the artillery fire was heard. All day long the artillery roar continued, the concussion breaking windows and shaking down chimneys in Tilsit.

Toward evening the Russians retreated and fled for their lives through the streets of Tilsit, making for the Russian frontier. Many of them were badly wounded, and fell by the wayside. About an hour behind the Russians the German cavalry came riding into the city. The townspeople greeted them with cheers and gave the soldiers bread, beer, cigars and flowers.

Make Last Charge.
Suddenly the gaiety was interrupted by a counter-charge of the Russians, made to cover the retreat. For several minutes there was a sharp engagement in the streets and the gutters ran red with blood. Mr. Hunter watched the battle from a window and saw the horses and riders fall together in pools of blood on the pavement.

After a short fight the Russians fell back and the Germans resumed their pursuit. All the day following the roar of field artillery continued and the battle finally ended in a German victory, the Kaiser's troops taking 35,000 prisoners.

As soon as the battle was finished and the rout of the Russians was made complete, Mr. Hunter obtained permission from the Germans to visit the battlefield. On the body of a Russian he found the mementos of the war which he sent his father. A German officer permitted him to take them. He smuggled them out of Germany in some old clothes and got them to the United States.

DEFEAT OF THE RUSSIAN FORCES

Berlin, Dec. 14, by wireless to London, 7:20 p. m.—The official press bureau today gave out the following official communication from army headquarters at Vienna: "In the fighting in western Galicia, the southern wing of the Russian army was defeated on December 12, and forced to retreat. Pursuit of the Russians has commenced. All attacks elsewhere along the battle front have broken down as previously."

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Wrights' Stationery Dept.
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FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE CITY ARE MOST FAVORABLE

The report of the auditor for the month of November, shows that city receipts exceeded disbursements by about \$67,000.

It is shown by the monthly financial statement from the water works department that the receipts exceeded the disbursements by about \$3000. The cash on hand December 1 in this department was over \$24,000. Recapitulation of the two reports follows:

Auditors Report.	
RECEIPTS.	
Department of public affairs and finance	\$ 89,741.92
Department of water supply and waterworks	9,636.03
Department of public safety, parks and public property	359.45
Department of streets and public improvements	674.12
Total	\$100,411.52
EXPENDITURES.	
Department of public affairs and finance	\$ 9,827.14
Department of water supply and waterworks	6,291.61
Department of public safety, parks and public property	6,415.11
Department of streets and public improvements	10,600.10
Total	\$32,133.96
Waterworks Department Report.	
RECEIPTS.	
Rated	\$ 5,354.65
Metered	4,050.15
Taps	36.50
Buildings	153.15
Interest on deposits	58.18
Miscellaneous	6.75
Total	\$ 9,636.03
Cash on hand Nov. 1.	21,605.26
Total	\$31,241.29
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Artesian wells	\$ 506.19
South Fork	53.35
Meter repairs	49.86
Real estate acquired	4,000.00
Wheeling Creek	58.18
Extensions	2.00
Office salaries	215.00
Tapping mains	185.75
Foreman and insp. salaries	422.00
Maintenance	641.37
Stationery and printing	134.40
Flat rates rebated	2.00
Meter refunds	20.00
Total	\$ 6,291.61
Cash in bank Nov. 31, 1914.	\$24,830.28
Plus cash Nov. 30, deposited	266.00
Dec. 1.	266.00
Total	\$ 25,096.28
Less warrants outstanding.	146.60
NET BALANCE.	\$ 24,949.68

OGDEN RIFLE AND REVOLVER TEAM

The Ogden Rifle and Revolver association opened the shooting season Saturday night in a competitive shoot for records with the Louisville, Ky., team, both organizations being members of the National Rifle association. The Louisville team is expected to stage its side of the contest tonight or tomorrow night and the winner will be made known through the medium of the telegraph.

The local shoot began at 8 p. m. and lasted until after midnight, the five high scores being as follows: Roach, 195; Peterson, 192; Sorenson, 192; Kneass, 189, and Gruman, 188.

OPEN MARKET FOR STOCK TOMORROW

New York, Dec. 14.—An open market for all stocks on the floor of the New York stock exchange will be created tomorrow. This was decided on this afternoon. It was voted to eliminate, beginning tomorrow, the so-called clearing house list and to place the stocks therein on the same base of trading as the 182 issues already approved.

market subject only to minimum prices, was made by the committee of five of the stock exchange at 2 o'clock this afternoon—after the exchange had been opened for trading in stocks only seven business hours since it was closed on July 30 last.

During the sessions of Saturday and today the last vestige of apprehension that foreign investors would deluge the local market with a vast volume of selling orders was swept away. It was this fear that had prevented the committee from listing the international issues among the approved list for open trading made public last Friday afternoon. Trading under restriction and supervision of the committee was brisk, both Saturday and today in the restricted issues, but it revealed to the entire satisfaction of the governors that there would be no foreign landslide of orders to disorganize the market here.

Today's action of the committee means, it is believed, that tomorrow the exchange will go back to practically the same footing as it occupied before the European war clouds were visible. The minimum price restriction is only nominal, both Saturday and today nearly all issues dealt in rose high above the minimum.

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Thousands Have Discovered
Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets
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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids.

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Standard Sets and Poems 20% Off.

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